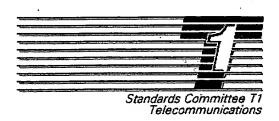


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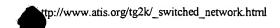
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switched network: 1. A <u>communications network</u>, such as the <u>public switched telephone network</u>, in which any <u>user</u> may be connected to any other user through the use of <u>message</u>, <u>circuit</u>, or <u>packet switching</u> and control devices. 2. Any network providing switched communications <u>service</u>.

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